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WHOLESALE LIST

*Soledad
Gardens*

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

IVIES

CACTI

SUCCULENTS

ALOES

GASTERIAS

HAWORTHIAS

SOLEDAD GARDENS

5250 Alta Vista St., Pacific Beach

San Diego 9, California

TERMS OF SALE

Orders filled in order received. Subject to loss of stock from causes beyond our control.

Claim for damages in transit must be made immediately with the transportation company by you.

All shipments made by Railway Express unless otherwise instructed.

Terms: Cash. No Discounts.

All prices F.O.B. San Diego, Calif.

We shall do our best to adjust any losses caused by errors on our part but under no circumstances shall we be responsible for any sum greater than the amount paid for the stock in question.

Soledad Gardens is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Walmsley, wholesale growers of florist's specialties at this location since 1931. This is our first catalog since 1940 when labor shortage curtailed volume in our business. We have been able to maintain our propagating stock of the better varieties of Cacti, Succulents, and Ivies. For the first time, this year, we are offering Chrysanthemums.



Like Ferdinand and Stinkie, Uncle Sam still wants to spend the rest of his life reclining on his spine smelling a flower. With other flower growers, we approve of flower smelling. But we can't forget that the flowers are grown in prewar greenhouses, heated by prewar boilers that burn coal that is not being mined. Or in fields plowed with a prewar plow that isn't improving with age. We don't like to contemplate having to say, Move over, Uncle, move over!—For who wants to recline without a flower to smell?

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Cuttings are taken from one-year field-grown stock plants, rooted in open-air benches, given temporary shade only while rooting. This insures vigorous, well-rooted cuttings, free from the usual insects and diseases troublesome to greenhouse grown stock. Our fields are in a nearly frost-free area and we can start shipping rooted cuttings early in February.

We will propagate heavily on early varieties for February and March shipment; mid-season varieties for March, April, and May shipment; late varieties for May, June, and July shipment. However, we can ship all varieties on advance orders as desired between February 1st and July 31st.

We will not substitute varieties without written permission.

Transplanted, soil established plants, suitable for immediate benching, field planting, or potting, can usually be furnished at double the price of rooted cuttings.

Large Flowering Commercial

(Standards)

Rooted Cuttings

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Less than 25 of a variety..... | 8c each |
| 25 to 100 of a variety..... | \$4.00 per 100 |
| 250 or more of a variety..... | \$35.00 per 1000 |

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| Anaconda..... | Coppery Bronze..... | Nov. 15 |
| Antarctic..... | White..... | Nov. 15 |
| December Glory..... | Ivory White..... | Dec. 1 |
| Detroit News..... | Reddish Bronze..... | Nov. 1 |
| Ed. Seidewitz..... | Lavender..... | Nov. 30 |
| Gladys Pearson..... | Buff-Bronze..... | Nov. 25 |
| Golden Glory..... | Golden Yellow..... | Nov. 1 |
| Golden Pearson..... | Golden Yellow..... | Nov. 25 |
| Indianapolis White..... | White..... | Nov. 8 |
| Major Bowes..... | Deep Lavender..... | Oct. 20 |
| Margaret Moeller..... | White..... | Dec. 10 |
| Marketeer..... | White..... | Nov. 18 |
| Mrs. Kidder..... | Lemon Yellow..... | Oct. 20 |
| Mrs. Nellie T. Ross..... | Yellow..... | Dec. 5 |
| Oak Leaf..... | Deep Bronze..... | Nov. 15 |
| Pink Turner..... | Light Pink..... | Nov. 5 |
| Quaker Maid..... | White..... | Oct. 15 |
| Silver Sheen..... | White..... | Oct. 18 |
| Smith's Late White..... | Ivory White..... | Dec. 15 |
| Snow White..... | White..... | Nov. 1 |
| Thanksgiving Pink..... | Deep Lavender..... | Nov. 25 |
| White Chattanooga..... | White..... | Nov. 25 |
| Yellow Mefo..... | Yellow..... | Nov. 20 |

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CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Pompons, Anemones, Singles, Etc.

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| Variety | Color | Type | Matures |
|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------|
| Barbara Cumming..... | Buff Yellow..... | Int. Dec. | Sept. 15 |
| Bittersweet..... | Red..... | Int. Sing. | Nov. 8 |
| Cameo..... | Ivory White..... | Int. Pom. | Dec. 5 |
| Christmas Bronze..... | Bronze..... | Int. Pom. | Dec. 20 |
| Christmas Cheer..... | Buff Yellow..... | Int. Pom. | Dec. 15 |
| Christmas Gold..... | Golden Yellow..... | S. Pom. | Nov. 28 |
| Christmas Red..... | Red..... | Int. Pom. | Dec. 10 |
| Cordova..... | Cream White..... | Int. Pom. | Nov. 20 |
| Dorothy Turner..... | Reddish Bronze..... | Int. Pom. | Nov. 25 |
| Elsie Kramer..... | Shell Pink..... | L. Pom. | Dec. 10 |
| Ethel..... | Reddish Bronze..... | S. Pom. | Oct. |
| Fire Bird..... | Reddish Bronze..... | Int. Dec. | Oct. 25 |
| Garza Supreme..... | White..... | Anem. | Dec. 15 |
| Golden Herald..... | Golden Yellow..... | L. Dec. | Oct. 25 |
| Golden Victory..... | Yellow..... | L. Dec. | Dec. 30 |
| Hasegawa Pink..... | Lavender..... | Sing. | Nov. 25 |
| Hasegawa Poinsettia..... | Red..... | Sing. | Nov. 15 |
| Helios..... | Golden Yellow..... | L. Anem. | Nov. 10 |
| Irene..... | White..... | S. Pom. | Oct. 15 |
| Ivory Snow..... | Ivory Yellow..... | Int. Pom. | Dec. 30 |
| Jean Cumming..... | Ivory White..... | Int. Dec. | Sept. 20 |
| Jewel..... | Lavender..... | S. Pom. | Oct. 15 |
| Kramer's Late Peach..... | Peach..... | Sing. | Dec. 15 |
| Legal Tender..... | Bronze Gold..... | Int. Pom. | Nov. 20 |
| Lt. Pink Supreme..... | Lt. Pink..... | Anem. | Dec. 10 |
| Margaret Clark..... | White..... | S. Sing. | Oct. |
| Marie Kramer..... | Red..... | Sing. | Dec. 5 |
| Mary L. Hall..... | Yellow..... | Int. Pom. | Nov. 1 |
| Masterpiece..... | Pink..... | Int. Pom. | Nov. 15 |
| Minong..... | White..... | S. Pom. | Oct. 20 |
| Mrs. W. H. | | | |
| Buckingham..... | Rose-Pink..... | Sing. | Nov. 3 |
| New York..... | Reddish Bronze..... | S. Pom. | Nov. 13 |
| October Pink..... | Lavender..... | Sing. | Oct. 28 |

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| Variety | Color | Type | Matures |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Pauline..... | Yellow..... | Tub. Spoon..... | Nov. 1 |
| Red Valencia..... | Red..... | L. Sing..... | Nov. 28 |
| Revelation..... | White..... | Int. Pom..... | Dec. 30 |
| Riviera..... | Pink..... | Int. Dec..... | Dec. 10 |
| Robin Hood..... | Red..... | S. Pom..... | Nov. 5 |
| Rodell..... | Yellow..... | Int. Pom..... | Oct. 20 |
| Rosalind..... | Rose-Pink..... | Int. Sing..... | Dec. 20 |
| Sea Gull..... | Cream White..... | Int. Pom..... | Nov. 1 |
| Svea..... | Golden..... | S. Pom..... | Nov. |
| Treasure Island | | | |
| Pink..... | Lavender..... | Int. Dec..... | Dec. 20 |
| Treasure Island | | | |
| White..... | White..... | Int. Dec..... | Dec. 20 |
| Treasure Island | | | |
| Yellow..... | Yellow..... | Int. Dec..... | Dec. 20 |
| Vibrant..... | Yellow..... | Int. Dec..... | Dec. 20 |
| Virginia..... | Deep Yellow..... | L. Sing..... | Nov. 15 |
| White Snow..... | Ivory White..... | Int. Pom..... | Dec. 30 |
| White Wonderland..... | White..... | Sing..... | Dec. 25 |
| Winterset..... | Yellow..... | Int. Pom..... | Dec. 25 |
| Wonderland..... | Dark Pink..... | L. Sing..... | Dec. 1 |
| Yellow Snow..... | Yellow..... | Int. Pom..... | Dec. 30 |

New Seedlings we are introducing:

| Variety | Color | Size | Type | Matures |
|-------------------|-------------|----------|------------------|---------|
| Sarah Parker..... | Pink..... | 2½"..... | Sing..... | Nov. |
| Agnes Porter..... | Red..... | 2"..... | Daisy..... | Oct. |
| Cora..... | Bronze..... | 2"..... | Sing..... | Oct. |
| Cuchara..... | Golden..... | 3"..... | Daisy Spoon..... | Oct. |
| Dainty Miss..... | Pink..... | 3½"..... | Daisy..... | Nov. |

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Feather or Spider Varieties

Rooted Cuttings

Less than 25 of a variety 16c each

25 to 100 of a variety \$8.00 per 100

These are best disbudded and treated as Large Flowering
Commercials.

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Kay Tashima..... | White..... | Oct. 1 |
| Marilyn..... | Lavender-Rose..... | Oct.-Nov. |
| Miss Gena Harwood..... | Rosy-Mauve Rayonante .. | Oct. 15 |
| Peggy Ann Hoover..... | Lt. Pink..... | Oct. 25 |
| Rayonante Pink..... | | Oct. 15 |
| Rayonante White..... | | Oct. 15 |
| Red Spider..... | | Oct.-Nov. |
| Souvenir..... | Salmon Pink..... | Oct. 25 |
| Sue Sally Jones..... | Yellow..... | Nov. 5 |

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Hardy English Varieties

Most of these respond to disbudding and some of them are
nearly comparable to Large-Flowering Commercials.

Rooted Cuttings

Less than 25 of a variety 15c each

25 to 100 of a variety \$7.50 per 100

250 or more of a variety \$70.00 per 1000

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Alferton Beauty..... | Golden Amber..... | Sept. |
| Avondale White..... | White..... | Sept. |
| Bronze Freda..... | Bronze-Salmon..... | Aug.-Sept. |
| Buttercup..... | Yellow..... | Sept. |
| Conqueror..... | Crimson..... | Sept. |
| Coppelia..... | Indian Red..... | Aug.-Sept. |
| Crimson Splendor..... | Crimson..... | Sept. |
| Crusader..... | Pink-Tinged White..... | Sept. |
| Daily Express..... | Terracotta Chestnut..... | Sept. |
| Dorothy McGuire..... | Soft Bronze..... | Sept. |
| Early Ace..... | Golden Chestnut..... | Sept. |
| Egypt..... | Bronze..... | Sept. |
| Elite..... | Cerise-Pink Yellow..... | Sept. |
| Gladiator..... | Chestnut Red..... | Sept. |
| Gold Standard..... | Golden Yellow..... | Sept. |

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Hardy English Varieties (Continued)

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| Henry Sutcliffe..... | Golden Yellow..... | Sept. |
| Hillcrest Red..... | Red..... | Sept. |
| Hillcrest Yellow..... | Yellow..... | Sept. |
| Jim Thorpe..... | Crimson-Yellow..... | Sept. |
| John Baxter..... | Bronze..... | Sept. |
| Le Poctole..... | Crimson..... | Oct. |
| Maryland Dome..... | Yellow..... | Sept. |
| Memnon..... | Crimson..... | Sept. |
| Morning Glow..... | Light Chestnut..... | Sept. |
| Mrs. J. H. Milner..... | White..... | Sept. |
| Mrs. Pattie..... | Golden Bronze..... | Aug.-Sept. |
| Mrs. Percy Beer..... | Pink..... | Sept. |
| Mrs. T. Guthrie..... | Chestnut Bronze..... | Sept. |
| Pink Reward..... | Pink..... | Sept. |
| Primrose..... | Yellow..... | Oct. |
| Primrose Circle..... | Yellow-White..... | Sept. |
| Rose Princess..... | Salmon-Rose..... | Oct. |
| Salmon Freda..... | Salmon..... | Aug.-Sept. |
| Una..... | Pink..... | Sept. |
| Vulcan..... | Crimson..... | Sept.-Oct. |

SPECIAL OFFER

Rooted Cuttings

We have a number of other varieties of English Chrysanthemums in quantities too small to list and offer 3-each of 25 varieties, labeled, different from those listed above—75 plants, \$15.00.

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Hardy—Late Introductions Rooted Cuttings

Less than 25 of a variety 20c each
25 to 100 of a variety \$10.00 per 100

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------|
| My Lady..... | Orange Yellow..... | Aug. |
| Old Gold..... | Gold..... | Sept. |
| Tiffany Rose..... | Pink..... | Sept. |

University Varieties

| Variety | Color | University of | Matures |
|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Aurora..... | Red..... | Minnesota..... | Aug. |
| Barbara Small..... | Lavender-Pink..... | Chicago..... | Sept. |
| Nashua..... | Reddish Bronze..... | New Hampshire..... | Sept. |
| Red Gold..... | Scarlet..... | Minnesota..... | Aug. |
| Sunapee..... | Gold..... | New Hampshire..... | Sept. |
| Water Lily..... | White..... | Minnesota..... | Aug. |

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Varieties Listed As Hardy Rooted Cuttings

Less than 25 of a variety 8c each
25 to 100 of a variety \$4.00 per 100
250 or more of a variety \$35.00 per 1000

| Variety | Color | Matures |
|-------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Caliph..... | Red..... | Sept. |
| Golden Spoon..... | Gold..... | Oct. |
| Judith Anderson..... | Golden..... | Oct. |
| Mrs. Pierre DuPont..... | Peach..... | Oct. |
| Mrs. Sam P. Rotan..... | Bronzy-Yellow..... | Oct. |
| Red Ridinghood..... | Red..... | Oct. |
| Ruby Pompon..... | Crimson..... | Oct. |
| Silver Moon..... | White..... | Sept. |
| Youdath's Pride..... | Bronze..... | Sept. |
| Youdath's White..... | White..... | Sept. |

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IVIES

We can usually accept 90-day advance orders for rooted cuttings of the following:

| | 250 or more— | Per 1000 |
|-----------------------------|--------------|----------|
| Large Leaf Variegated | | \$35.00 |
| Hahn's Branching | | 25.00 |

Ivies listed below can usually be supplied in hundred lots. They are transplanted, soil-established rooted cuttings that have made growth after transplanting.

| Variety | Per 100 |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Large Leaf Variegated | \$7.50 |
| Hahn's Branching | 6.00 |
| Barcafer's Branching | 7.50 |
| California Branching | 8.00 |
| Needlepoint Branching | 8.00 |

CACTI

Cacti Seed

We now grow our own seed of most of the best commercial varieties of Mammillarias, Astrophytums, Notocactus, Monstrose forms of Cereus peruvianus hybds., and some other varieties. We have improved our strains by carefully selecting and growing on our seed-bearing stock plants over the last ten years.

We offer our surplus of seed as follows:

| \$2.00 per 1000 Seed | \$1.50 per 1000 Seed |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Astrophytum myriostigma | Mammillaria microhelia |
| Mammillaria Hahniana | " caput medusae |
| (Old Woman) | " elegans |
| | " Parkinsonii |
| \$1.50 per 1000 Seed | " vaupeli |
| Mammillaria Pfeifferi | " elongata |
| Mammillaria bocasana | |

Mammillaria seed, a mixture of the above and other choice varieties, \$1.50 per 1000 seed.

CACTI ASSORTMENTS

We can usually supply a limited number of varieties of Cacti in the smaller sizes in assortment of our selection at \$3.00 per 100.

Our assortments of Cacti at \$5.00 and \$10.00 per 100 contain mostly Mammillarias and other top quality varieties available in these price ranges.

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CACTI

We have a wonderful stock of Mammillaria Hahniana (Old Woman) in flowering sizes which can usually be shipped in bud or bloom from November to April at 50c, \$1.00, \$2.00, and \$3.00 each.

SPECIMEN CACTI

Suitable for window display and specimen plant sales—Our Selection—at 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 each.

POPULAR ASSORTMENTS

Assortments of our selection, containing the widest range possible of good commercial varieties of Cacti, Aloes, Gasterias, Haworthias, and other Succulents, available within the various price ranges.

| | Per 100 |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Popular Assortment No. 3 | \$ 3.00 |
| Popular Assortment No. 5 | 5.00 |
| Popular Assortment No. 10..... | 10.00 |

Will omit Cacti from these Assortments when requested.

ALOES

Assorted Aloes

These Assortments of our selection contain the widest range of good commercial varieties of Aloes and Aloe-Gasteria Hybrids available in the various price ranges.

| | Per 100 |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Aloe Assortment No. 3..... | \$ 3.00 |
| Aloe Assortment No. 5..... | 5.00 |
| Aloe Assortment No. 10..... | 10.00 |

Specimen plants suitable for window display and specimen plant sales — Our Selection—25c, 50c and \$1.00 each.

We can usually supply such varieties as Aloe nobilis, humilis brevifolia (globosa), and Hum-Vir (Green Hybrid), separately, at \$3.00, \$5.00, and \$10.00 per 100.

GASTERIAS

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Many varieties mixed:..... | \$3.00, \$5.00, and \$10.00 per 100 |
| Many Varieties Mixed Specimen Plants..... | 25c and 50c each |
| Gasteria maculata | 25c each |
| Gasteria compacta | 10c each |

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HAWORTHIAS

Haworthia mixed, including Sub-Fasciata, Margaritifera, and many other species and hybrids our selection, \$5.00 and \$10.00 per 100.

Haworthia sub-fasciata, (fasciata) \$10.00 per 100.

Haworthia fasciata improved (Heavier white markings than subfasciata, 25c each.

Haworthia margaritifera, \$10.00 per 100.

OTHER SUCCULENTS

We still grow small quantities of a great many varieties of Succulents which we have not been able to propagate in sufficient quantities to list separately, due to labor shortage. These will be included in the Popular Assortments.

Specimen plants suitable for window display and specimen plant sales—Our Selection—25c, 50c, and \$1.00 each.

Crassula arborescens (portulacea).....\$3.00 and \$5.00 per 100

Crassula arborescens (portulacea) unrooted cuttings—

Single Heads\$10.00 per 1000

2 to 3 Heads\$15.00 per 1000

Crassula imperialis\$3.00 and \$5.00 per 100

Faucaria (Tiger Jaws- Mixed\$3.00 and \$5.00 per 100

Kalanchoe tomentosa (Panda Plant)\$5.00 and \$10.00 per 100

Kleinia repens\$3.00 and \$5.00 per 100

NOT AVAILABLE FOR SHIPPING

We grow many varieties of tropical plants and other colorful material suitable for pot plants, combination planting, and dish gardens, for wholesale to Nurserymen and Florists able to call at our gardens and make their selections from what is available.

We do not have these items in sufficient quantity to list for shipping at this time.

Following is list of some of the varieties:

Sansevierias, Peperomias, Nephytis, Syngoniums, Gynura, Acalpha, Jacobinia, Acorus, Saxifraga sarmentosa, Ficus, Philodendrons, Monsterias, Vitus, Anthericums, Ruellia, Tolmiea, Cryptanthus, Pellionia, Variegated Euonymus and Coprosma, Leucophytum, Draecena indivisa and draco, Selaginellas, Fatshedera, Panamiga, Amomum, Ligularia, Marantas, Bamburanta, Miniature Variegated Bamboo, Carex, and Potted Ivies, etc.

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